





# The Raleigh Daily News.

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## STATE DEMOCRATIC-CONSERVATIVE TICKET.

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Of Wake.

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Third District—A. M. Waddell, of New Hanover.  
Fourth District—Sion H. Rogers, of Wake.  
Fifth District—J. M. Leach, of Davidson.  
Sixth District—Thomas S. Ashe, of Anson.  
Seventh District—W. M. Robbins, of Rowan.  
Eighth District—R. B. Vance, of Buncombe.

## ELECTORS FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.

First District—Octavius Coker, of Chowan.  
Second District—Swift Galloway, of Greene.  
Third District—T. C. Fuller, of Cumberland.  
Fourth District—H. A. London, Jr., of Chatham.  
Fifth District—W. L. Steele, of Richmond.  
Sixth District—F. B. McDowell, of Iredell.  
Seventh District—Thomas D. Johnston, of Buncombe.

## OUTRAGEOUS CONDUCT BY UNITED STATES OFFICIALS IN WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA—BASE PROSECUTION OF THE COURTS FOR PARTISAN PURPOSES.

We intend to show between this time and the election in August, how the Courts in North Carolina, both State and Federal, have been used for partisan purposes.

The saddest commentary upon the degeneracy of the times is the judicial corruption and usurpation which have been witnessed in this State since the close of the war.

The high, exalted, irreproachable character which our Judges had established in the olden times is in striking contrast with the disgrace and ignominy which have stained the judicial ermine since the slime of the serpent of Radicalism has been traced into the halls of Justice.

Our purpose to-day is to give a plain statement of facts in regard to the manner in which citizens in one of our Western counties have been maltreated and oppressed by individuals in the employment of the United States Government, who under the cover of the law and in the name of the constituted authorities, have been guilty of the most high-handed outrages and indignities, which call aloud for investigation and the punishment of the guilty officials.

The statements we give in this article will be vouched for by gentlemen of the highest character, and are well known to the people in the section where the outrages were committed. It is understood that in several of the counties west of the Blue Ridge, there existed in 1869 and prior to that year, numerous local police organizations, which were formed soon after the disbanding of the Confederate army. There were very bad feelings existing between citizens in Western Carolina in regard to the differences and strife produced by the war. The public sentiment in some counties was quite equally divided, and organizations, of offensive and defensive, were formed for local purposes for protection and perhaps in some instances, for retaliation and revenge also. These were afterwards familiarly designated as the Ku-Klux Klans.

But it is universally understood these associations west of the Ridge disbanded prior to the passage of the first Enforcement Act of Congress. And what should be set down to their credit, they did not commit any outrages whatever, while they existed.

These facts being true, it was supposed that under the ruling of Judge Brooks, no one in the section referred to, would be arrested or indicted under the Enforcement Act.

But not so. There was one county West of the Ridge, Madison, in which the vote in 1870 and 1871, was very close. In fact, it was almost a tie between the two parties, and something must be done to "kick the beam"—in order

that the balance should weigh in favor of Radicalism.

Accordingly, notwithstanding there were no more "Ku-Klux" to be found in Madison than in the adjoining counties, yet the others were passed over and this county was made the victim of Radical intimidation and persecution. Over one hundred men were indicted in Madison.

This is not all. One Thomas L. Denver was appointed United States Commissioner, and five or six of his sons and sons in law were made Deputy Marshals. These men were sent out in all parts of the county with blank warrants to arrest whomsoever they pleased. With pistols in their hands and dreadful curses on their lips, they lorded it over the good people of their county, and the rod of persecution fell wherever vengeance and malice dictated.

This policy had the desired effect in several quarters. As was intended, these heartless officials forced many innocent but timid men to leave their homes and families and seek safety in distant parts.

Others, who elected to remain at home, were arrested and bound over for their appearance to the present Term of the Federal Court in Raleigh. These men, being generally very poor, were compelled to place themselves in the custody of the Marshals, to be brought to this city for trial.

On their arrival here, their counsel procured an order for the removal of their causes to Asheville.

Judge Brooks directed Marshal Samuel T. Carrow to return all the prisoners who could not give bail here at once to Asheville, that they might there give the necessary security for their appearance for trial at that place in November. This order was made on Tuesday, and the prisoners should have been started off on the evening of that day.

The numerous herd of Deputy Marshals, the Deavers and others quarreled among themselves over the spoils to be realized from the transportation of the prisoners, and so defendants were kept here from Tuesday until Friday night, until the Marshals could settle their little dispute as to who was entitled to take charge of them!

Was not such treatment an outrage—a shame! Col. Carrow should be held to a strict accountability for the disgraceful conduct of his Deputies. He should see that they are not overpaid, or he himself be compelled to refund to the poor men who were thus subjected to unnecessary expense and trouble, the money which they were compelled to pay out of their own pockets while delayed here from Tuesday till Friday.

Many citizens were thus deprived of their liberty, detained from their crops at this busy season of the year at a great loss to themselves and families, in order to gratify the avarice of a set of greedy officials!

It was well known to the Marshals who arrested these citizens of Madison that their connection with the "Ku Klux" organization had long ceased before the passage of the Enforcement Act, but in order to make their fees, and also to intimidate and brow-beat the honest voters of the county, they had them taken into custody, and such as were unable to give bail were kept under confinement.

Will not such official crimes as these awaken the people to a sense of the wrongs and injuries which call aloud for reproof and remedy?

Are the rights of personal liberty and freedom from arrest, which are guaranteed to every citizen in the land as nothing, compared with the fees of Deputy Marshals and the vile purposes of Radicalism?

Justice demands that these outrages perpetrated on our fellow citizens should be known through the public press, that the country may behold with indignation and horror the dark and damning picture of Radical villainy and atrocity.

While we denounce the conduct of the Government officials who have committed the offences to which we have referred in this article, we wish it distinctly understood that we do not, in the slightest degree, apologize for any crimes that may have been committed by the Ku-Klux, Union Leagues or any political organizations. We countenance no disorder nor violation of the law. We desire the punishment of the guilty, but the guilty have equal rights with the innocent to a fair and impartial trial. We do not oppose the legitimate prosecution of any men or set of men; for the peace, order and dignity of the State demand the punishment of all violators of the law.

What we do oppose is, the prostitution of the Courts to the basest partisan purposes.

We oppose the denial of a fair trial to any citizen of the State.

We oppose the violation of the rights of trial by jury, as well as those of personal security and personal liberty.

Ex-Senator James Chesnut, of South Carolina, advocates Greeley's election on the ground that he considers the Democratic party, pure and simple, unable to restore constitutional government.

Out of the fifty Democratic papers in Ohio, only six are in favor of a straight out nomination at Baltimore.

## AN OUTRAGE UPON NORTH CAROLINA SOIL.

A citizen of this State was arrested in Charlotte, on Tuesday last, by a Deputy Marshal from the State of South Carolina, and taken to Columbia, in that State.

Will the honor and dignity of North Carolina be maintained? or will Gov. Caldwell act as he did when Bettis, of Cleveland county, was arrested by a Federal officer and carried to South Carolina under guard?

Gov. Caldwell has already acted so outrageously in not defending the character and honor of the State, that we have no confidence in his sense of propriety, or patriotism, or firmness.

It is the plain and imperative duty of the Governor of the State, when a citizen is arrested and carried to another State, to demand the rendition of the person so arrested.

If the Executive fails to do that much, he proves false to his position and false to the citizen whose rights have thus been so ruthlessly crushed and trampled under foot.

W. H. Trezevant is the North Carolinian who was arrested in Charlotte on the 4th inst., on a charge of conspiracy, murder, &c., brought against him by negroes.

Mr. Trezevant may be guilty. We know nothing of the facts, nor do we desire to screen him from the penalties inflicted by the law, if he should prove to be guilty.

But whether innocent or guilty, we do most solemnly protest against the outrage committed on the soil of North Carolina by a Deputy Marshal from another State.

The Deputy Marshal had no rightful authority to make the arrest—much less to carry off the prisoner to South Carolina.

Such conduct should call forth the rebuke of every true North Carolinian, and will receive the condemnation of fair-minded, law-abiding men everywhere, without regard to party.

Gov. Caldwell can have no earthly excuse for failing to do his duty in the premises.

A citizen of the State, arrested upon her soil, is incarcerated in South Carolina, and demands that protection which the Government guarantees to every true and loyal man.

## CALDWELL AT KINSTON.

He studiously avoided the discussion of main issues, and in a most inflammatory manner made his appeals to the brutal passions and prejudices of the negroes, and in abusing, after the most approved style, all who choose to differ from him. The only point in the whole speech worthy of note, and to which we wish to call attention, is that he refused to call out the militia for the capture of the Lowmays because the law does not compel him to do so. And yet this self-styled humanitarian can, without law, find it very convenient to furnish a negro military company in the town of Wilmington with one hundred guns!—Kinston Gazette.

The above extract, giving an account of Caldwell's speech at Kinston, agrees with the statements we have published of his Accidency's efforts on the stump at other points where he has spoken.

And yet the Elizabeth City Carolinian says that it is Democratic party and speakers that appeal to the passions and prejudices of the people and abstain from facts and figures.

We have charged time and again that Governor Caldwell's appeals to the negroes are incendiary and that the most infamous character. When Gov. Caldwell tells them that there is danger of the Democrats putting them back into slavery, the Governor utters what he himself does not believe, and such assertions stamp him as an unscrupulous demagogue. He ought to be ashamed of himself, and if he is not, his friends ought to be ashamed for him.

## IN PRINT AFTER ALL.

We copied an extract of some three or four lines from the New York Herald, referring to Jim Harris' speech at Philadelphia.

The correspondent of the Herald stated "another negro named Harris, of North Carolina, the smallest gun of all, came up to the stage uninvited."

This is all the correspondent said, and we stated in our comments, that he had done Harris great injustice by not reporting his speech in full.

We find, however, in another part of the Herald, a full report of Harris' effort, and we hereby publicly retract our strictures on the Herald, and give that paper due credit for enterprise and judgment in laying before the world, the original, brilliant and Demosthenian effort of the sable orator from North Carolina.

We have, however, two other charges against the Herald.

One is, because it stated Jim Harris went on the stand uninvited. Now, all who know Harris' modesty and retiring disposition cannot believe this.

The other charge is, the Herald stated Harris was the "smallest gun of all." He is regarded as an oratorical Columbiad in North Carolina.

During a storm near Farmville, Va., three negroes took shelter in a barn, when the lightning struck it, killing one and shocking the others.

Six negro children were recently poisoned in Lunenburg county, Va., by eating hemlock for angelica.

The flowers with which Col. James Fisk's grave was decorated on Thursday of last week cost \$3,000.

The fly is seriously injuring the wheat in the vicinity of Lexington, Va.

## THE IRREVOCABLE COLFAX.

The only event that took place at Philadelphia at which we can rejoice, is the defeat of the smooth-tongued, similing, amiable demagogue and trickster, Schuyler Colfax.

More than twelve months ago, he wrote a letter to one of his friends, which was extensively published at the time, avowing his distaste for public life and expressing his determination to retire to private life as soon as his present term as Vice President expired. He stated that his determination was unalterable and irrevocable.

Yet for several months he has been seeking the re-nomination, and his friends have been working with great zeal and activity for him. Colfax himself has done all that he could to have his claims for the position recognized and endorsed.

We are sincerely glad that he has been consigned to retirement. Senator Wilson of Massachusetts, who was nominated over Colfax, is a much abler, and, we think, a better man.

## KIND WORDS.

We take the liberty of copying the two following complimentary notices of the Daily News. Such kind words cheer and encourage us to persevere in the good cause. We thank our friends for their commendations, and we shall strive to make our paper more worthy of the high compliments they have been pleased to pay us:

[From the Kinston Gazette.]

THE RALEIGH DAILY NEWS.—We take great pleasure in recommending this staunch Conservative journal to the patronage of our friends as one in every way worthy of their confidence as an able and dignified exponent of civil liberty in North Carolina. Scarcely three months old, it has already won for itself an enviable position in the front rank of Southern journalism.

[From the Greensboro Patriot.]

We are indebted to our friend, the News, of Raleigh, for calling our attention to errors in the printing of the names of some of our candidates. The correction has been made. While thanking the News, let us add "long may it flourish" by the zeal it displays and the mastery manner in which it defends the cause, and maintains the principles of the party of which it is one of the ablest champions.

## BINGHAM SCHOOL.

MECHANVILLE, N. C.  
The Fall Session of 1872 opens August 2nd. The course of instruction is Classical, (including Modern Languages), Mathematical and Commercial. The organization is Military. For circulars address, June 1st, COL. WM. BINGHAM.

## NOTICE.

All parties who are indebted to us will please come forward and settle their accounts on or before the 1st day of June, as we shall make a change in our business on that day.

W. C. STONACH & CO.

## WATCH LOST—\$50 REWARD.

In May, 1863, the writer had stolen from his possession a Lady's GOLD WATCH, white face, gold hands, "Mt. Vernon" carved on one side, and Washington's Monument on the other. The cap opens by touch of a spring. It is thought to be in the section of country between Norfolk and Wilmington. A reward of \$50 will be paid for its delivery to DAILY NEWS Office, June 7-2nd-w

## OXFORD FEMALE ACADEMY.

OXFORD, N. C.

MISS M. E. MITCHELL, Principal.  
MISS E. N. GRANT, Associate Principal.  
MISS W. H. JOHNSON, Teacher of Music.  
The Exercises of this Institution will be resumed on the 30th of July. Circulars with terms for Board, Tuition, &c., on application.  
REFERENCES: All friends and pupils of the late Prof. Mitchell, of the University of North Carolina. June 7-3m

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## SPECIAL NOTICES.

**SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH.**—Disposition to exercise, difficulty of thinking or reasoning, or concentrating the mind upon any subject, lassitude, lack of ambition or energy, discharge falling into throat, sometimes profuse, watery, acid, thick and tenacious mucus, purulent, offensive, &c. In others a dryness, dry, watery, weak or inflamed eyes, ringing in ears, deafness, hawking and coughing to clear the throat, ulcerations, death and decay of tonsils, sores from ulcers, constant desire to clear nose and throat, voice altered, nasal twang, offensive breath, impaired or total deprivation of sense of smell or taste, dizziness, mental depression, loss of appetite, indigestion, dyspepsia, enlarged tonsils, tickling cough, difficulty in speaking plainly, general debility, idleness and lassitude.

All the above symptoms are common to the disease in some of its stages or complications, yet thousands of cases annually terminate in consumption or insanity, and end in the grave without ever having manifested one-third of the symptoms above enumerated.

No disease is more common or less understood by physicians. The Proprietor of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy will pay \$500 reward for a case which he cannot cure. Sold by druggists, or send sixty cents to Dr. W. Pierce, M. D., 133 Centre street, Buffalo, N. Y.

THE WORLD DOES NOT contain a medicinal preparation which has obtained a more wide-spread and deserved popularity than the Atchafalca Catarrh Remedy. Since its introduction to public notice more than twenty years ago, it has been constantly used for every kind of disease of the throat, nose, and lungs, or injury to man or beast which can be affected by a local application, and so far as its popularity is concerned, it has not failed in a single instance. After so long and successful a term of probation, who will have the hardihood to deny its pre-eminent claims to popular esteem.

"IT ACTS LIKE A CHARM."—This is what we hear on all sides of Dr. TUTT'S EXpectorant. In cases of Croup, Bronchitis, Asthma and all Pulmonary Diseases it affords instant relief. It permeates the very substance of the Lungs and causes them to throw off all acid matter. It is very pleasant to the taste. Children take it readily.

NEW YORK, August 31, 1869.

Dr. W. H. T. TUTT.  
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STATE MATTERS.

Our friends throughout the State will place us under obligations if they will furnish us with any items of news that may transpire in their respective sections, as we desire to make this department specially full.

SOME of the farmers in Halifax county are in need of hands.

SUPERIOR Court of Transylvania county convenes next week.

THE Cape Fear Teachers' Association has been organized.

THE crops in Anson county are flourishing.

THE Masons will have a picnic at Scotland Neck on St. John's day.

THE young people of Halifax will have a picnic on the 20th inst.

A GREAT many sturgeons are being caught out of the river at Weldon.

S. A. WARREN, Esq., formerly Sheriff of Northampton county, died suddenly last Tuesday.

DANIEL REAP, of Catawba county, has been confined in jail in Asheville, charged with "Ku Kluxing."

Doe killers are playing havoc among the canine race in Weldon, shooting every one found without a collar.

A NEW post office has been opened in Buncombe county, called Laurel Fork, with W. G. Candler as postmaster.

TESQUETTE post office, Clay county, has been reopened and Miss Sallie Johnson appointed post mistress.

JOHN LOTT, of Buncombe county, in attempting to draw a pistol from his pocket, shot himself in the hip.

THE Mail says the health of Hon. A. H. Arrington is improving, and he is for Greeley.

GEORGE W. WILCOX is announced as a candidate for sheriff of Anson county.

A MAN named Phillips died in Anson county one day last week, and it is supposed he was poisoned by his wife; cause jealousy.

MISS JEANIE PATTERSON will entertain the citizens of Wilmington with her reading to-morrow and Wednesday nights.

On Tuesday night, fifty shares in the Wilmington Building and Loan Association were redeemed at \$122 and twenty at \$120.

THE Argus says the prospects for the early completion of the Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherford Railroad to Wadesboro is encouraging.

FRED. PROCTOR, Esq., of Edgecombe, accidentally shot himself in the right hand last week, causing him to lose all the fingers on it.

By a change in the schedule, the light express train on the Wilmington, Columbia and Augusta Railroad leaves Wilmington forty-five minutes earlier than by the old schedule.

A BRIDGE over Beech Swamp, in Halifax county, gave way with a peddler, throwing wagon, mules and driver into the stream and occasioning a loss of some clothing and a box of tobacco.

DOSSEY BATTLE, Esq., has severed his connection as local editor of the Rocky Mount Mail, his professional duties forbidding that attention which it deserves.

A BOY in Newbern, who was suffering from headache, applied to a negro, who waited on a physician to relieve him.—The would be Dr. applied alcohol to the head, and then stuck a lighted match to it. The consequence was, that the boy was in a very critical condition.

THE Wilmington Star says: "A captain from the Superior Court of Jones county was served yesterday, on a white man by the name of Samuel Butts, who was sentenced at a late term of New Hanover Superior Court to sixty years in the Penitentiary for horse-stealing, and who was granted a new trial and is now in our county jail. The charge against him in Jones county is larceny."

THE Battleboro Advance gives the following account showing the efficiency of the officer mentioned. It says: "We learn that the engineer of the Jones express Tuesday night was taken with the palpitation of the heart as the train reached this place. This caused a short delay, necessitated by the time occupied in carrying him to a car. The energetic and faithful Superintendent of the road, Capt. John F. Divine, went forward to the engine, and taking charge, ran her to Wilmington."

Alfred Hargrave, a dry-goods jobber, who disappeared on the 27th of May, is said to have carried off nearly one hundred thousand dollars, and left debts amounting to a quarter of a million, due mainly to A. T. Stewart & Co., H. B. Claffin & Co., and Arnold, Constable & Co., and several others.

John W. Forney is for Grant and against Hartranft for Governor of Pennsylvania, and Simon Cameron for United States Senator. In his paper, the Press, he praises the address of Mr. Buckalew, the Democratic candidate for Governor.

The International Typographical Union, now in session in Richmond, Va., made an excursion to Petersburg on Thursday, where they had a most pleasant time.

The King of Norway and Sweden has conferred the order of Knighthood in the Royal Order of the Wasa upon Professor A. Sayre, of New York.

Nathan Weston, L. D. d., late Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Maine, died recently at the advanced age of nearly ninety years.

William Falkner, Esq., manager of the Petersburg Arms House, was stricken with paralysis on Friday morning.

The habit of taking arsenic to beautify the complexion is increasing among both sexes in New York.

Messrs. Eldridge & Co., of Alexandria, Va., have failed for \$30,000. Assets small.

Some of the colored men of Pittsburgh, Pa., are active for Greeley and Brown.

The Internationals are establishing a branch society in Peru.

Captain Colvocoresses, of the Navy, Murdered and Robbed in the Streets of Bridgeport.

A letter to the Herald, dated Bridgeport, Connecticut, June 4th, gives the following particulars of a terrible murder in that city:

One of the most cold blooded murders that has ever taken place in this part of the country occurred last night in this city. Captain George M. Colvocoresses, a retired naval officer and member of the Retiring Board of the United States Navy, came down from his home in Litchfield, Conn., on the Naugatuck train, last evening, reaching Bridgeport about nine o'clock. He went immediately down to the boat and secured a passage for New York, taking his state-room key with him. He then came up town from the steamboat dock, called at the Sterling House, and enquired if it was too late for supper. He was told that it was, and he went out, going, it is supposed, to some saloon in the neighborhood. He subsequently returned to the hotel, and conversed with the landlord and clerk, and finally left, at about half-past ten, on his way to the boat. He carried with him an umbrella, a cane and a small satchel, which latter he guarded with extreme care, keeping it constantly with him, and even taking it to the water closet, instead of leaving it at the office, as is usual.

Between half-past ten and eleven the policemen detailed at the steamboat dock heard a pistol in the direction of Clinton Street, which runs from Main Street to Water, and through which Captain Colvocoresses passed on his way to the boat. Running in the direction of the sound, the policemen came upon the unfortunate man just as he breathed his last. He had a fearful wound from a bullet in the lower left breast, and a cut from some sharp instrument over the right hip. His sword cane, which he had evidently drawn, was bent nearly double, and the case was shattered in pieces, showing that he had made an effort for his life when assailed. Near him was found a large single-barrel pistol, evidently the instrument of the murder. His satchel was missing and his watch was also gone, showing that robbery was the object of the murder.

From memoranda on his person, it was concluded that Captain Colvocoresses had from eight to ten thousand dollars on his person, or more, probably in the little satchel which he carried, and which was found open and rifled this morning on the railroad track, some distance from the scene of the murder. The theory is that parties either in Litchfield, or in this city, knowing that Captain Colvocoresses had upon his person a considerable sum of money, tracked him possibly from Litchfield and dogged him about town till in the quiet and darkness of Clinton street, they set upon him and completed the murder. The horse pistol which was found near the scene of the tragedy, a box of traps tied up in a piece of cloth, and other traces will, it is hoped, lead to the detection of the murderer. Every effort that can be made will be, and the police are untiring in their endeavors.

The utmost horror was occasioned throughout the city by the announcement of the murder this morning, and many friends of the unhappy man have visited the remains at the station-house. The family of the deceased has been telegraphed, and his wife and daughters are hourly expected. One of the latter was preparing to be married in a short time to a gentleman formerly associated editor of the Standard in this city, and now in the editorial department of the Messrs. Harper & Brother, of New York.

It is stated here this morning that the pistol which was picked up near the scene of the murder was seen yesterday in the hands of persons in this city, and has been identified. It was an old-fashioned horse-pistol, and had a string tied around it, and there were other peculiarities about it by which it could be recognized.

Captain George M. Colvocoresses, the victim of this foul murder, was born in Greece, and came to this country when quite young. He was appointed to the navy from Westmont in February, 1829, and attached to the frigate United States, in the Mediterranean squadron. He was promoted to passed midshipman June 23rd, 1838, and served on various ships till 1861, when he was commissioned commander, commanding the sloop Saratoga, of the blockaded squadron, till 1864, and the sloop St. Mary's, of the Pacific squadron, from 1865 to 1869. He was retired with the rank of Captain in 1867. Captain Colvocoresses was a gallant and deserving officer, and took an active part in the late war, receiving a large amount of prize money from various captures in which he participated. He was a man of about sixty years of age, was a gentleman of agreeable manners, and was greatly esteemed and respected by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances the country over. He has a son in the navy, an acting ensign. Mayor Goodsell, of Bridgeport, telegraphed to Secretary Robeson, of the Navy Department, informing him of the murder of Captain Colvocoresses. The Captain had an insurance on his life to the amount of about sixty thousand dollars.

Geological Museum, Raleigh. Agriculture and Meteorology. We are indebted to Prof. W. C. Kerr, State Geologist, for the following interesting article on Agriculture and Meteorology. We would be glad to receive similar favors on these and other scientific subjects when Prof. Kerr can spare the time to prepare them.

The average temperature of April, in North Carolina, ascertained from observations at 23 stations was 53 deg., which is one degree less than the annual average. The minimum of temperature for the month occurred on the 24; the lowest record being that for Macon county, and the freezing point being passed in the most of the counties beyond the Blue Ridge, and in many places east, as far as Tarboro.

The average rain fall for the State has been very low, 26 inches; the highest record coming from Watauga, 66 inches, and Beaufort, Goldsboro, and Murphy, gave 50, 48 and 47 inches; while Greeneboro, Statesville, Franklin and Wilmington reported about 1 inch. But as the earth was yet full of moisture from the winter rains, the crops did not suffer seriously.

The wheat and other small grain crops are generally good throughout the State; except wheat in Cherokee

and a few other places. The quantities of cotton planted in the State is reported as 20 to 30 per cent. more than last year. The turpentine business has increased largely in the southern counties, and as usual at the expense of agriculture. Other crops about the same as last year. No increase in number or quality of farm stock in the State generally. Labor reported as a little reduced in quality. No improvement in farm tools. No epidemic among stock, except hog cholera in a few places, mostly beyond the Blue Ridge, and chicken cholera. Very few sheep raised in any part of the State; the obstacles being in the east, dogs and thieves, and in the west, dogs and wolves. Fruit crops are universally promising. The cotton and turpentine regions import corn, hay, flour, meat and butter from the north, (a most and better from the north, a good little corn from Hyde.) Even so good a farming region as Mecklenburg buys some of all the above named supplies, partly from the mountains and partly from the north. Hay from N. Y. to Western N. C. A large quantity of artificial manures has been used this season, more than ever before, except in 1867. The brands used are Peruvian guano, Patapasco, Navassa, Sol. Pacific, Gillsam's, Mapes, the South Carolina Phosphates, and a few others. Of course the cotton and tobacco counties buy most of these, the wheat growing middle section using a little guano.

While North Carolina shows a greater number of agricultural products than any other State, she is not surpassed by any in the number and amount of her agricultural imports. One county (Watauga) reports hay as its principal crop. It ought to be so in 15 counties. The counties beyond the Blue Ridge export cattle, butter, honey, and a few of them also corn and flour, buckwheat, cabbages. They formerly exported also hogs and sheep, but the hog cholera and failure of the chestnut crops together, have ended the hog business, and wolves and dogs have laid an embargo on sheep raising.

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The rule to be applied in general conduct, is to conform to every innocent custom as our social nature requires, but refuse compliance with whatever is inconsistent with propriety, decency and the moral duties; and dare to be singular in honor and virtue.

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